

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **SB 1309 - HB 1748**

March 4, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes international medical school graduates who have practiced in the United States for a period of 20 years or more and whose license to practice medicine in another jurisdiction is in good standing to practice in Tennessee in lieu of completing a three year residency training program in the United States.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase State Revenues - \$4,000**

Assumptions:

- Of the individuals who met the requirements of the bill and were previously denied a Tennessee license for failure to meet qualifications, it is estimated that no more than 10 individuals per year will be granted licensure.
- 10 new licensees at \$400 per license results in a \$4,000 increase in state revenues.
- In year three, there will be an increase in revenues for licensure renewal fees of \$225 for a two year license period.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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